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How American Republicanism Pays.

Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

The United States in fifteen years have paid $800,000,000 on the public debt, or nearly one-third of its total at the moment of its greatest amount. While the principal of the debt has been nearly one-third liquidated, the total interest charge has been reduced by refunding at a lower rate and by cessation of payment of nearly one-half, or from $151,000,000 to $80,000,000 a year. At the present time the liquidation of the national debt is going on at the rate of half a million a day.

These results, so familiar to the American people, are astounding in the financial history of the world. They are totally unprecedented The boasted "payment of the milliards" by France were merely a successful borrowing the wherewithal to pay, not a liquidation What enables America thus to sweep off debts which weigh other great powers to the earth with increasing rather than lightening burden? But the reason we can pay off the debt faster than those countries, is the fact that our debt is already much smaller than theirs, and that our revenues are not wasted on standing armies and costly navies, and other expensive appurtenances of imperial government. We want none of these costly and vain luxuries of power and if we remain strictly republican and simple in our government, there is no reason why we should not govern ourselves better at less cost than any other power in the world

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Sept 10-d2w

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A large and handsome assortment of Dress Buttons just received by
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SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of four certain executions to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the [illegible] Court of Macon county, Illinois, one in favor of J. J. Fenton and R W Fenton [illegible] Fenton & Co. one in [illegible] Tanner and John W. Tyler [illegible] Tanner & Tyler, one in favor of [illegible] and Felix B Tait partners [illegible] one in favor of R. L. Wal[illegible] against the estate of Joseph Spangler deceased I have levied upon the following described property to wit The east half of the southwest quarter of section fifteen [illegible] north, range [illegible] east of the third principal meridian situate in Macon county Illinois Taken as property of the said estate of Joseph Spangler, deceased, which I shall offer at public sale at the west entrance of the court house in Decatur in Macon county in said state on the 9th day of October A D 1880 at 2 o'clock p m of said day for cash in hand to satisfy said execution

This 14th day of September, A D 1880
M FORSTMYER,
Sheriff Macon county, Illinois.
Sept 14 d3w

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July 19—d&w

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of DAVID S ALLEN, Deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of David S Allen, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county to be holden at the court-house, in the city of Decatur on the second Monday of October A D 1880, being the first day of said term

Decatur, Ill Aug 26th, A D 1880.
AMANDA D ALLEN Administratrix
Aug 27 d3w wit

Fashionable Harness

The old reliable house of J G Starr & Son have now in stock one of the largest and most complete stocks of single and double harness in Illinois of great variety and all the very latest styles, handsomely ornamented with oriental and nickel wire ball trimmings. Parties will save from 10 to 20 per cent by purchasing harness of this house ap27dtf

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Sept 21 1880—d&wtf

Executor's Notice.

Estate of ELIZA H HOWELL, deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Eliza H Howell, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the court-house in the city of Decatur, on the second Monday of October, A D 1880, being the first day of said term

Decatur Ill Aug 20th, A D 1880
EZEKIEL C HOWELL, Executor
Aug 20—d3w

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Foreign and Domestic Piece Goods,

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KAUFMANN & BACHRACH,

Manufacturers of

MEN'S AND BOYS'

Clothing!

Dealers in

Goods for Men's Wear.

Cor. East Main & Water Sts.,

DECATUR,

Factory—Chicago, Illinois
Sept 16-d&wtf

Petition for Sale of Real Estate.

STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss
Macon County }

In the county court to the October term, A D 1880

Jacob G Kizer administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of Elizabeth Dingman, deceased, vs Andrew Dingman Kate M Chambers, William R Dingman, Thomas F Dingman Hellen E. Barton and Walter B Chambers—Petition for sale of real estate

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the office of the clerk of the county court of said Macon county by Jacob G Kizer administrator with the will annexed, of the estate of Elizabeth Dingman, deceased praying for the sale of the following described real estate situate in said Macon county, to-wit Lots numbered five (5) and six (6), in block number one (1) in Brock's Addition to Maroa, for the payment of the debts of said estate, wherein said Andrew Dingman, Kate M Chambers William R Dingman, Thomas L Dingman, Hellen E Barton and Walter B Chambers are made parties defendant And affidavit having been filed in the office of the clerk of said county court wherein said cause is now pending, that the said Thomas F Dingman and Andrew Dingman are non residents of the State of Illinois you the said Thomas F Dingman and Andrew Dingman are hereby notified that summons has been issued in said cause returnable to the October term A D 1880, of said county court to be held at the court house on the third Monday in the month of October A D 1880 in the city of Decatur in said county of Macon Now unless you shall be and appear before the said court on the first day of said October term thereof and show cause why the prayer of said petition should not be granted a decree will be rendered in accordance therewith and the said above described property ordered to be sold

H W WAGGONER Clerk
I A BUCKINGHAM Attorney for Petitioner
Sept 2, 1880—d4w

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NEVER FAILS.
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PILE REMEDY
AN ABSOLUTE CURE

HOME TESTIMONY.

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S B GARVEY

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Aug 19—dtf **STEVENS & DAVISON.**

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I must beg leave to say that in Chronic Diseases—especially those of women—my experience is unlimited, that I have done every conceivable kind of surgical operation in this city and county, without the loss of a patient, that I have done thirty-seven operations on the blind for cataract, and have sent them all away seeing but one I have treated all species of deformity, from crooked backs to cross eyes, with perfect satisfaction. The only apology I have to offer for such talk as this is that it is the TRUTH

If you are suffering in body or mind, come here and see me

R. L. WALSTON, M. D.,
Sept 17—d1w w3mo **DECATUR, ILL.**



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A NEW SUSPENDER.

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THURSDAY EVENING, SEPT 23, 1880.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

NATIONAL TICKET.

For President,
JAMES A. GARFIELD,
of Ohio.
For Vice President,
CHESTER A. ARTHUR
of New York.

STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
SHELBY M. CULLOM,
of Sangamon.
For Lieutenant Governor,
JOHN R. HAMILTON,
of Mclean.
For Secretary of State,
HENRY D. DEMENT,
of Lee.
For Auditor of Public Accounts,
CHARLES P. SWIGERT,
of Kankakee.
For Treasurer,
EDWARD RUTZ,
of Cook.
For Attorney General,
JAMES McCARTNEY,
of Wayne.

For Congress—14th District,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
of Vermilion county.
For Member of the State Board of Equalization, 16th Congressional District,
CHARLES F. EMERY,
of Macon county.

For Representatives,
JASON ROGERS, of Macon county.
L. LUDINGTON, of DeWitt county

COUNTY TICKET.

For Circuit Clerk,
EDMISTON McCLELLAN.
For State's Attorney,
WILLIAM C. JOHNS
For Sheriff,
WILLIAM W. FOSTER.
For Coroner,
JAMES HOLLINGER.

THE Bloomington *Mail*, the only Democratic daily in that city, has suspended for want of patronage.

"FIGURES don't lie," is a saying as old as it is true, which leads a witty exchange to remark that "figures don't edit Democratic newspapers."

LYMAN TRUMBULL is still going around the state in the interest of those whom he once designated as "a body of men—mostly traitors."

SENATOR CONKLING is to make four speeches in Indiana, at Lafayette, Richmond, Indianapolis and Terre Haute—the latter on the 8th of October.

FROM all parts of Macon county we receive the most cheering reports as to the political outlook. The Republicans of Macon county were never more united, harmonious and enthusiastic than now, and that they will give a good account of themselves on election day we do not for a moment doubt.

IT seems from the *Review* that the movement to take Hundley off the ticket has been abandoned by the Democratic bosses, for the present at least. That such a movement has been on foot for a few days past is a fact known to a good many people—both Republicans and Democrats.

"A REPUBLICAN woman" in a letter to the Chicago *Journal* from Shell Rock, Iowa, says: "In your issue of September 1st you state that a girl was arrested at Milwaukee in male attire. Will the law punish that poor girl for seeking an honest living in men's clothes, and yet the Democratic candidate for President wear our corset every day? Jefferson Davis wore our crinoline. Who of the solid South will take the rest of our apparel? We want justice. Who will volunteer in our defense?"

JUST before the Maine election Chairman Barnum, of the Democratic National Committee, gave out orders to the party press to make all comparisons of the vote of that state in 1880 with the returns of 1876, when the Republicans had a majority of 15,559. This order has been implicitly obeyed, and it has not been possible to induce a Democratic paper to say anything about the elections of 1878 and 1879. This species of pettifoggery is peculiarly gratifying to our old square neighbor, who likes to tell things in a round-about way much better than he does to go at a thing fairly and squarely. He prints this morning the Republican majority of 1876, and then boastingly refers to the minority of 174 figured up by his party in 1880. It is not certain whether this minority of 174 is correct or not, but if it is it shows a Republican net gain of 12,583 over the vote of 1878, when the combined opposition in Maine had a majority of 12,757 over the Republicans. In 1879 the combined Democratic and Greenback vote was 492 greater than the Republican vote, so that the figures show a Republican gain this year, even if the *Review's* figures are correct.

THE Democrats of Friends Creek are certainly not very enthusiastic, if, indeed, they can be said to be even courteous to their speakers. Judge Nelson was advertised to speak at Newburg on Tuesday night, but when he got off the train he found no Bourbon there to receive and welcome him. Mr. Charles Towers, the Republican committeeman for Friends Creek, who happened to be there, took the forlorn expounder of Democracy to his house, entertained him, and went with him to the place of meeting, where only a handful of voters had assembled to hear the Judge's doleful story. The Friends Creek Democrats should treat their speakers with more consideration.

TUESDAY a lot of matter was sent to the Washington post office by the Democratic Congressional committee. By accident one of the sacks broke open and its contents were spread over the floor. It was seen that although franked it was illegally done. Nine sacks were then examined and detained. It was found that the committee was sending stationery to various points under franks and that in various other ways it was grossly violating the law.

ARE THE AMENDMENTS IN DANGER.

Rutland Herald.

The Democrats indignantly deny that the Constitutional amendments are in danger in case the South shall rule the nation. Let us take a little evidence on this point. The bawling Blackburn boasted in the extra session that the Democracy proposed to wipe out all the war legislation. The legislationre ferred to included the resolutions of Congress proposing the thirteenth, fourteenth and fifteenth amendments. Democratic hostility to the amendments were manifested even after their ratification in several States, the Democratic Legislatures of which attempted to withdraw the assent given by their Republican predecessors.

The ground of this Democratic attempt at revocation was that the ratification was invalid. Senator Edmunds, in 1879, with characteristic sagacity, proposed the following resolutions for the purpose of placing the Democracy on record:

Resolved, as the judgment of the Senate, That the 13th, 14th and 15th amendments to the Constitution of the United States have been legally ratified, and are as valid and of the same paramount authority as any other part of the Constitution in every State of the Union, and that it is alike the right and duty of Congress to enforce said amendments, and to protect every citizen in the exercise of all the rights thereby secured by the laws of the general character already passed for that purpose, and by further appropriate legislation, so far as such enforcement and protection are not secured by existing laws; and that it is the duty of the executive department of the government faithfully and with diligence to carry all such laws into impartial execution, and Congress to appropriate all moneys needful to that end.

Sixteen Democratic Senators, namely: Messrs. Bailey, Bayard, Beck, Cockrell, Coke, Davis of West Virginia, Eaton, Garland, Gordon, Harris, Hereford, Hill, Kernan, Lamar, Morgan and Voorhees, voted in the negative, or against the resolution, thus declaring that they did not recognize the 13th, 14th and 15th amendments as valid, or that Congress and the executive were bound to act in conformity with them.

The Troy *Times* makes the following forcible comments upon these facts:

It must be admitted, of course, that if the amendments are not binding upon Congress and the executive, the Supreme Court is equally free from obligation; and here comes in the secret of the bill introduced in the House of Representatives last session by Mr. Manning, of Mississippi, to increase the number of justices of the Supreme Court to twenty-one. Should a Democratic President be chosen, the Senate being now Democratic, all the twelve additional justices would be appointed from the Democratic party. Under the pressure of Confederate nomination, the new justices would all be selected with special reference to their opinions in regard to the amendments. Then what would be easier than to make up a case involving the validity of these amendments and have them all declared void? That, and nothing else, is the purpose of the Manning bill. And after the amendments are wiped out, what would become of the political results supposed to have been accomplished by the bloody and costly struggle of 1861–65? Not a vestige of them would be left except the abolition of slavery—and there would be nothing whatever to prevent any of the States from reviving that dreadful institution. The citizenship of the colored people of the South would be gone; Jeff Davis could aspire at will to the highest honors of the Republic; the national debt might be repudiated; the Confederate debt be saddled upon the country; and, in short, the whole Southern system as it existed before the war would stand restored.

MRS. W. N. PALMER, 149 Morgan street, Buffalo, N. Y., writes: My child was taken Feb. 1st with croup in its severest form and Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil being the only remedy at hand, I began giving it according to directions and found it gave immediate relief, I gave three doses and the child rested well the remainder of the night. I have used it in my family for some time with complete success For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. Sep20d&w1w

THE largest stock of cooking stoves in town at Ashby & Andress'. 6 d&wtf

SIGNIFICANT FACTS.

Figures Won't Lie, But They Do Convict the Democratic Party.

Chicago Times.

"In answer to numerous inquiries," the treasury department has prepared a statement of national receipts, disbursements, and losses from the organization of the government to June 20, 1879, "arranged as nearly as practible in periods of administration." The receipts from customs are stated separately, and those from all other sources are massed together. It appears that the losses on customs receipts were largest during Andrew Jackson's two terms, aggregating $1,215,304 and equaling $6.99 on each $1,000. The loss during Washington's terms was $204,523, or $5.58 per $1,000. During Martin Van Buren's term the losses were $264,503, or $3.93 per $1,000. The losses during other administrations were much less, running as low as 6 cents per $1,000 during Polk's term, 2 cents during Grant's two terms, and nothing at all during Hayes' term. The total losses in this branch of the service were nearly four times as great during the eight years of Jackson as they were from the beginning of Lincoln's first term to June 30, 1879.

Turning to receipts from all other sources, including loans and trensury notes, we find that the greatest loss was $1,308,223 during Andrew Jackson's term; next, $1,148,046 during Grant's two terms; next, $477,232 during Lincoln's term; next, $402,514 during Monroe's two terms. There has been no loss under Hayes. The highest loss per $1,000 was $12.48 under John Quincy Adams: next, $10.44 under Monroe; next, $4.63 under Harrison and Tyler. And so on down to nothing under Hayes. Comparing the period prior to June 30, 1861, with the subsequent period, it appears that the losses on customs were $3,313,293, or $2.10 per $1,000, during the longer period, and $3,933,601, or 30 cents per $1,000 during the shorter.

The disbursements and losses of the post office department are stated separately. The disbursements of this department never greatly exceeded $6,000,000 for any period until Andrew Jackson's time, when they rose to more than $21,000,000 in the eight years following, under Van Buren, Harrison and Tyler. The highest ever reached was $236,619,614, under Grant for eight years, though they were proportionately greater during the two years of Hayes included in the statement. The losses per $1,000 were greatest under Monroe, reaching $11.61; next, $7.61 under Madison; next, $6,92 under Pierce; next, $6.02 under John Quincy Adams. At no other time have they reached $4 per $1,000, and it is claimed were reduced to a single cent under Hayes.

A separate table is devoted to disbursements of the war and navy departments, including the pension and Indian charges. Here again Monroe leads off with a loss of $23 63 per $1,000, followed by Madison, $12.14; Buchanan, $9.12; and Jefferson, $8.71. The losses prior to 1861 on these accounts were $8.33 per $1,000, and $1.39 since that time, and Hayes is once more credited with no loss at all. The total loss during Lincoln's administration on the same accounts was $5,486,741, or nearly four times as great as during any previous term of four years, but the disbursements, owing to the war, were 20 times as great, so that the loss was only $1.79 per $1,000, or less than during any previous administration, except that of Washington and that of John Quincy Adams.

Under the head of miscellaneous are included all disbursements "on account of public debt, interest, premiums and all civil expenses, exclusive of postoffice" Here Martin Van Buren distances all competitors with a loss of $2,485,356, or $47.99 per $1,000. Harrison and Tyler come next, loss $19.18 per $1,000; then Jackson, $14.76; then Polk, $10.65. There has been a tapering down since 1861, and here again it is claimed there has been no loss under Hayes, or only the trifling loss of less than $1 in $1,000,000, or 1 cent in $10,000. The total disbursements on these accounts prior to 1861 was $1, 131,349,300, and the total losses $9,738,813; since 1861, disbursement of $10,556,772,016, and losses $2,848,690. Losses before 1861 $8.60 per $1,000; since then, 26 cents per $1,000.

In the recapitulation all receipts and disbursements are aggregated, as also all losses. The total losses exceeded $7,000,000 under Lincoln, $4,500,000 under Johnson, $3,000,000 under Monroe, Van Buren and Jackson, $2,000,000 under Madison, Pierce, Buchanan and Grant, and $1,000,000 under Harrison, Tyler, Polk, Taylor and Fillmore. In no case were they much less than $250,000 in four years until Hayes came in, when they fell to $2,677 in two years, or at the rate of $5,354 for the full term. Per $1,000 of the aggregate receipts and disbursements the greatest loss was $11.71 under Van Buren; next, $8.58 under Monroe; next, $7.62 under Jackson. Never was the loss less than two in a thousand until Lincoln's term, when it suddenly came down from $3.81 under Buchanan to 76 cents, and Hayes has succeeded in reducing it to eight-tenths of a mill, or $8 in $10,000,000.

You can get your choice of those large chromos in walnut frames for $1 00, at J. M. Stookey & Co.'s
Sept. 18—d&wtf

Astral and Argand,

Are two of the best hard coal base burners in the market, at
Sept 17–d&wtf ASHBY & ANDRESS'.

Charity.

All persons having clothing which they are willing to give to those needing it, are requested to leave it at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A.
17-dtf I. J. DAVIS, Gen'l Sec.

TELEGRAPHIC

CHICAGO, September 22.—Dr. Cream and Mrs. Hattie Mack were to-day indicted for murder and abortion, their victim being Miss Faulkner.

The managers of the Wabash Railway, having decided to make Chicago the central point of their western combinations, have made arrangements to extend their lines in new directions. To-day they had a conference with the managers of the Peoria, Decatur & Evansvill Railroad, and concluded a traffic arrangement to make a through line via that road from Chicago to Evansville, where they will form a connection with the Louisville & Nashville Railroad for all points in the South. They are also arranging for a through route to Cairo and thence to southwestern points. This, in addition to their lines to the Missouri river, to St. Louis and to Keokuk, will make the road one of the most important and formidable of any in the West. The officers to-day decided to open next week for freight and passengers to all points reached by their lines in Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado and the Pacific Coast.

The State Liquor Association to-day adopted resolutions setting forth that the enemies of personal liberty are constantly attempting by statute to bring about a condition of affairs in the liquor traffic similar to that in Maine, and have succeeded in getting adopted a notoriously unjust measure, calculated to make the calling of the liquor dealer and manufacturer odious. Resolutions then declare the convention will proceed to organize a State association of members of the trade, will oppose the provisions of the dram-shop act and other hostile legislation, and will call to strict account members of the Legislature, and will use their united power to prevent the election of men too cowardly to resist the allurements of temperance women, or too stupid to comprehend the effects of sumptuary legislation.

NEW YORK, September 22.—Numerous inquiries having been received at the National Republican Headquarters from various parts of the country as to whether Gen. Grant would preside at political meetings, Gov. Jewell communicated with him, and to-day received the following reply:

GALENA, Sept. 21, 1880.

GOV. JEWELL:—While I shall do all in my power to aid the Republican cause, I cannot now engage to attend any meetings. I will be in New York about the 10th of October, and will remain until the 20th, during which time I shall visit Boston. U. S. GRANT.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 22.—This evening Jesse Grant was married to Miss Lizzie, daughter of W. S. Chapman, at the Palace hotel. The affair was very quiet, only a few friends being present.

Scientific Success.

An American college of physicians once offered a reward for any authenticated case of genuine Diabetes which had been entirely cured. The offer remained open for several years, and was then withdrawn. Were it in force now, it could instantly be secured by the proprietors of Warner's Safe Diabetes Cure, for several remarkable recoveries have just come to the notice of the writer. Diabetes is a most deceitful disease, and seldom makes itself felt except by its results. Any readers who are suffering from ill-health and do not know the cause should not delay, as it may be the cost of life, which Warner's Safe Diabetes Cure is guaranteed to save. For sale by W. C. Armstrong, druggist.
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THE "glorious" dispatch of the democratic candidate justly entitles him, the New York *Tribune* thinks, to the title of Gen. Half-cock.

THE Democratic papers say that their party got just what it wanted in Vermont and Maine and is satisfied. There is an old story of a farmer and a woodchuck which has done duty on many occasions, but it is so much to the point that it will bear repeating. It runs thus: The farmer had been annoyed by the woodchuck and had chased him often without catching him. Finally, one day he chased him to his hole, and, in his eagerness to capture the animal, thrust his hand into the hole. He suddenly drew it out, and holding it, covered with blood, looked at it and said: "Well, I've found out where the critter is."—*N. Y. Tribune.*

MR. BLAINE'S letter to Gov. Jewell contains the following interesting passages:

"The talk of Mr. Barnum about the Fusionists of Maine being 'counted out' is mere rant. There is not a Democrat or Greenbacker in Maine who has the slightest fear of such a result. The late Gov. Clifford, of Massachusetts, used to boast that the Whig party was the only one then in existence that would count itself out of power and surrender to its opponents on an adverse majority of one vote, alluding to the case of Marcus Morton as Governor. The republicans of Maine, when beaten in 1878, could have retained power by one or two technical points in the count. Those who planned the Garcelon count-out of a year later expected the Republicans to do it, and suggested a fear of it, but there was not a single member of the party that ever harbored such a thought. If Gov. Plaisted shall have a single vote more than Gov. Davis, the Executive chair of Maine for the next two years is as well assured to him as though his majority were 10,000.

ALL members of the Ladies' Working Band of the Y. M. C. A. are urged to be present at the regular meeting Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. An executive committee is to be elected, and other business of importance is to be transacted. EMILY CLARKE, Sec.

Lotos.

This new parlor game is now receiving much attention in social circles, and deservedly so, for it affords pleasant and exciting entertainment to all ages, sexes and condition. For the benefit of our readers who may not be versed in the details of the game, we present the following description "Little squares, or buttons, which are numbered from one to a hundred, constitute one essential, another is cards, four inches wide, by five or six long, containing vertical and horizontal rows of figures, corresponding to the numbers on the buttons, but arranged in columns, beginning with the lowest number at the left of the card and alternating; thus the first column to the left may contain all numbers in the tens, the seconds, all in the twenties, the third, all in the thirties, etc." As usually played, one calls the numbers from the buttons at random, each holder of a card placing little squares of glass or pasteboard upon his numbers when mentioned, and whoever succeeds in covering all the numbers on his card, first cries out, "Lotos" and is entitled to a prize. There is a fascination about it that is perfectly irresistable, while the game is innocent, harmless and interesting. Much amusement is afforded, and the game bids fair to become quite popular. Mrs. ex-Senator Oglesby is entitled to the credit of its introduction in this city.

Arrested.

This morning a man giving his name as Theodore Taylor, was arrested at Harristown for stealing a pair of buggy harness and a couple of fly nets, all valued at $30, from Mr. Wm. O. Gring. The facts are about as follows: The defendant is a mover, and was seen passing west along the Springfield road by Mr. William Cameron early this morning, while at breakfast, in a covered wagon which Mr. Cameron identified as the one claimed by the prisoner. Mr. Cameron saw the wagon stop about eighty rods from the house, and a man pass back and forth from the wagon to the fence. While at his barn the two brothers Gring, came up and asked if he had seen any one pass He told them he had, and that the man at that time was not more than a mile off. He accompanied the Grings in their pursuit of their lost property to where the man was camped, about eighty rods from where Mr Cameron saw him drive up to the fence. They found harness lying inside of the fence there, that lost by Mr. Gring together with his two fly nets, and two sets of single buggy harness.

Roby, Outten & Vail appeared for the people and Lee & Walker for the defendant. The case was tried before Justice Palmer, but the evidence was not sufficiently strong for his honor to convict, so the prisoner was discharged, much to his delight.

BASKET PICNIC.

—AT—

Sulphur Springs, Sept. 29th.

A basket picnic will be held at Sulphur Springs, in Mt. Zion township, on Wednesday, Sept. 29th. Addresses will be delivered by Hon. J. G. Cannon, Gen. Richard Rowett, of Carlinville, and others. Come with your families, and well-filled baskets, prepared to enjoy an entire day.

BASKET PICNIC,

—AT—

Streever's Grove, Friday. Oct, 1.

Hon. J. G. Cannon, E. P. Vail, Esq., W. C. Johns, Esq., and other speakers will address an all-day meeting at S. C. Streever's grove, near Newburg, on Friday, Oct. 1, to which the people of Friends Creek and Whitmore townships are especially invited. Come with your baskets well filled, prepared to stay all day.

We Guarantee What We Say.

We know SHILOH'S CONSUMPTIVE CURE is decidedly the best Cough Medicine made. It will cure a common or chronic Cough, or Bronchitis, in half the time, and relieve Croup, Whooping Cough, Asthma at once, and show more cases of Consumption cured than all others. It will cure where they fail, it is pleasant to take, harmless to the youngest child, and we guarantee what we say. Price 10 cents, 50 cents, $1 00. If your lungs are sore, Chest or Back lame, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Sold by A. J. Stoner.

No Deception Used.

It is strange so many people will continue to suffer day after day with Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Sour Stomach, General Debility, when they can procure at our store SHILOH'S VITALIZER free of cost if it does not relieve them Price 75 cents. For sale by A. J. Stoner

We have a speedy and positive cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria, Canker mouth, and Headache, in SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A nasal Injector free with each bottle. Use it if you desire health, and sweet breath. Price 50 cents. Sold by A. J. Stoner.
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LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post-office, at Decatur, Macon co., Illinois, Sept. 22, 1880.

Anderson, Miss Allie	Harrison, Edward
Belson, George	Hobbs, E A
Brenent, Miss Joca	Harse, Isidore
Brenent, Miss Emma	Holly, Nora
Conlin, Frank	Henson, Miss Mary N
Cook, Mrs Maggie E	Kilham, Wm
Dobbins, Wm	Lyons, G C
Doowin, Willie M	Mills, A L
Henderson, Alexander	Noethlich, Carl
Howard, Mr C E	Smith, Wilham
Haley, Waller	Waller, Aaron
Boyer, Miss Emma	Warman, Mrs Annie

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That we show, not a box, or a dozen or a few samples, of any one article pertaining to our line, but we show large quantities, and almost endless varieties. In hosiery, corsets, laces, embroideries, ruchings, underwear, knit and crochet goods, yarns, zephyrs, CLOAKS, etc., etc, none but first-class houses can compare with us as regards assortment As to prices, come and see.
22-d&w1w CHEAP STORE

Just Received!

—AT—

F. L. HAYS & CO.'S,

—A NEW LOT OF—

Dress Ginghams,
Cotton Momie Cloths,
Percales, Calicoes,
Muslins, Shirtings, &c.

CALL AND SEE THEM

No. 25 North Water St.,
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Sept. 16—d&wtf.

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OF THE BEST GRADES.

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OPERA HOUSE, MONDAY, SEPT. 27.



Latest New York Success.

Geo. Hoey's Great Romantic Drama,

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Illustrated in magnificent style by the famous

HOEY AND HARDIE'S

COMBINATION.

Composed entirely of endorsed New York Favorites. This great play will be produced with entire new Scenery and Costumes. The Original Music and a great cast of characters.

Prices, 35 and 50 cts. Reserved Seats, 75 cents. Seats now on sale at Curtis & Co.'s Sep22dtd

HAIL to the Chief among pulmonary remedies, Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, used externally and internally. This grand preparation annihilates coughs, colds, rheumatism, neuralgia, lameness, piles, kidney troubles, sores, cuts, burns, boils, warts and corns. Its cures are attended by the amplest and most positive testimony. For sale by Dr. A. J Stoner,
Sep20d&w1w

REMARKABLE! Only one of Rinehart's Worm Lozenges expelled a Tape Worm 18 inches long from a child in Ridgeville, Indiana. 25 cents per box. *Warranted.* For sale by A. J. Stoner and J. T. Hubbard.
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Made to Order.

The celebrated Wilson Bros.' Shirts made to order and in stock, at
tf B. STINE'S, the Boss Clothier.

If you want mill feed, corn or oats you can be supplied at SHELLABARGER'S.
Dec. 18—d&wtf

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour ever sold here.
Dec. 18—d&wtf

THE Argand is the prettiest stove in the market. Call and see if it is not so, at Ashby & Andress'.
Sept. 17–d&wtf

NOTE THIS—Linn & Scruggs say what they mean, in language that cannot be misunderstood—and do what they say
Aug. 7, d&w tf.

For Sale,

Cheap, on easy terms, a tract of land, half a mile from city, suitable for city gardening or farming. For further information apply at this office. S21d1m*

For Rent.

Stable room for two horses, within two blocks of the court house Enquire at this office. Sept21-d2w*

Misses Kid Gloves.

A very excellent article at 50c a pair.
21d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

Notice.

Wanted, a good physician at Oreana Macon county, Ill, Address Postmaster Oreana, Ill. MANY CITIZENS,
sep16-d2wks.

MILAM'S bread is always fresh and pure and sweet. 14-dtf

Table Linen.

Just in, an additional invoice of all kinds of table linen. CHEAP STORE
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For Sale,

Two houses and lots, between three and four blocks of the business part of the city. J. W BUTMAN
Sept. 10-d2w

FOR RENT.

The room now occupied by us, from which we shall move into our New Banking Office about

OCTOBER 1st.

Improvements will be made to suit a desirable and permanent tenant.

PEDDECORD, BURROWS & CO.
Sept. 14, 1880—dtf.

Notice in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Illinois.

In the matter of WILLIAM L. HAMMER, Bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that a third general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held at the office of James C. Lake, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy in said district, in Decatur, in said district, on the 13th day of October, A. D. 1880, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purposes named in section 5083 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

B. O. McREYNOLDS, Assignee.
Sept 22—d1w*

Bankrupt Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned, assignee of William L. Hammer, bankrupt, will, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 3 p. m., on the 11th day of October, A. D. 1880, at the front door of the court-house in Decatur, offer at public sale the unsolicited notes and accounts belonging to said estate.

Terms of sale, CASH.

B. O McREYNOLDS, Assignee.
Sept. 22–d3w*

QUEENSWARE!

TABLE LAMPS,
HANGING LAMPS,
FLOWER POT BRACKETS,
10,000 FLOWER POTS,

From 2 Cents Up,

And Hundreds of Articles in daily use by every Housekeeper, all at the very lowest prices, at LIDDLE'S Mammoth Store,
Sep. 21—d&wtf COURT HOUSE BLOCK.

FOR SALE.

80 ACRE FARM, north half north east quarter section 19—one mile from Forsyth, in good state of cultivation. For particulars call on J M Lowry, 23 Water st., or on the premises. Terms easy.
Sep 15-d&w4w* J. M. LOWRY, Agt.

The Daily Republican.

THURSDAY EVENING, SEP

CITY DEPARTM

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GET new honey Niedermey mound

A PERFECT Smoke Burner boilers. Borden, Selleck & Co Ill.

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ONE dozen Oysters, stewed " " " raw, select " " " fried, " " " broiled " 11-d2w w2m

You can get any school boo city or county schools at J M Co's. They also keep a large ond hand school books at low Sep20dtf

NOW is the time to get yo framed, and J. M. Stookey & hand with the largest assortme and Mouldings ever shown in Sept20-dtf

ORDER your block coal from ams, at the Midland depot. Sept20d1m

WHEN pains small and cramps p You feel as if you'd die; Don't waste your time in vain de But Spring Blossom at once try For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner.

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HAPPY is the man who smokes none but Schroeder's celebrated Bohemian cigars.

"BLACK DIAMONDS" to-night.

A FULL supply of ladies toilet goods at Walters & Tyler's drug store.

GET new honey Niedermyer's, on the mound.

A PERFECT Smoke Burner for steam boilers. Borden, Selleck & Co., Chicago, Ill. 18-deow

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FOR a good cup of Java coffee and a tip-top lunch go to Miller's on the old square. Sep223t

NEBINGER & REBER are adding very much to the appearance of their place of business and the convenience of the public by putting down a brick walk. So it goes—the new supplanting the old.

ONE dozen Oysters, stewed,			25 cents.
"	"	raw, selects,	30 "
"	"	fried, "	40 "
"	"	broiled "	40 "

11-d2w w2m at WOOD'S.

YOU can get any school book in use in city or county schools at J. M. Stookey & Co's. They also keep a large line of second hand school books at low prices.

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Aug. 20-d9mos

AN unfortunate and purely accidental conflagration took place on Tuesday on Mr. J. T. Clough's farm near Harristown. Before the flames could be placed under control, 150 bushels of wheat, worth $135, the property of Mr. Hough, were destroyed, and also a vibrator attached to a thresher belonging to Mr. Willis Johnson. The fire put a stop to the threshing, and both Clough and Johnson took in the fair yesterday.

FOR honest goods in the jewelry line at lowest prices go to J. L. Knieper, No. 30, Merchant street. Repairing of watches, clocks and jewelry guaranteed to give entire satisfaction. Sep20d&wtf

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An apple from the orchard of Mr. S. McCurdy, of Austin township, measuring sixteen and a half inches in circumference, and weighing one pound and three quarters, strong, was placed upon our table this morning by Mr. John K. Warren. It is of Capps' mammoth variety, yellow in color, and quite fragrant. Who can beat it?

THOSE $1.25 Chromos are selling for $1.00 each. at J. M. STOOKEY & Co.'s. Sept. 19-d&wtf

A Pump that is a Pump.

Mr. L. R. Provost, of Goshen, Ind., who is a brother of our fellow-townsman, P. B. Provost, is at the fair grounds this week exhibiting one of the best inventions of the age, a Vulcanized Rubber Bucket Pump, porcelain lined and plain wood, manufactured exclusively by E. W. Walker & Co., of Goshen, Ind. It is a pump that claims the admiring attention of all interested and throws a good steady stream of water. Mr. Provost states that the pump is universally acknowledged by all who have used them to possess the following advantages over all others: 1st, The packing is made of vulcanized rubber, is self-holding, and needs no nails to keep it on the wood. 2d, Being flexible, it expands and contracts to fit the pump chamber. 3d, Water being a lubricator for vulcanized rubber, it will outwear leather and work easier. 4th, It being a solid packing, the suction is more perfect, and must from a necessity throw more water. 5th, It will not harden from long soaking, and will need no repairs for years. Those who fail to see the Vulcanized Rubber Pump at the fair grounds may do so by calling on Mr. Provost at his brother's furniture store on Water street. He will locate in Decatur permanently, and would be pleased to have all parties interested call and see him. He will also handle a popular churn, which finds a ready sale wherever introduced.

Republican Meeting.

Mr. S. V. Casey, of Springfield, last night at the court house, made a very entertaining political speech from a colored man's standpoint. He arraigned the democratic party as made up of pretenses, and said while Gen. Hancock himself might be a good man the party had in it the very devil. He appealed to his colored brethren to vote the straight Republican ticket, from Garfield to Hollinger, that one and all were worthy. He alluded to the first plank of the Democratic platform as proof that the colored people need expect no good thing from it. Home rule, so much prized and prated about by Southern democrats, he said meant the right to shoot down harmless negroes at their firesides for wanting to vote the Republican ticket. The speech was well received, being frequently applauded. After closing Mr. Casey sang the solo to "John Brown's Soul is Marching On," and the audience with a will joined in the chorus. Mr. Casey is a good example of what education will do for his oppressed race.

A Handsome Buggy for $75.

One of the most striking displays at the fair grounds—one that does credit to the enterprising exhibitor, Dr. J. N. Bills—is a fine show of three styles of Cincinnati buggies, manufactured by Emerson, Fisher & Co., at Cincinnati, Ohio. These buggies, which sell rapidly at $75 each, and are just as good and handsome as the fancy priced outfits, are well-made, durable, and have been thoroughly tested by thousands of people throughout the land. The bodies are made entirely by hand, of perfectly seasoned wood, glued and screwed firmly, gears of thoroughly seasoned hickory, and bound with the best iron.—The painting and general finish of each buggy is done in the very best style.—Now, reader, why pay $150 to $300 for a buggy, when you can get as good a one for less than half price, $75. Examine the Cincinnati buggies while at the grounds, and then call on Dr. Bills, who is the Western agent for Emerson, Fisher & Co, at his warerooms, south of court house block, on State street, and make your purchase. These buggies have been subjected to the severest tests and stand all kinds of rough usage. They have the popular Elliptic Springs, and are models of beauty and style.

The Line of March.

For the information of the public, and to enable those on the line of march to prepare their decorations, the executive committee of the Soldiers' Reunion, announce the formation of the procession and the line of march to be observed:

First Division forming on North Main street, right resting on the old square. Second Division forming on West Main street, right resting on the old square Third Division forming on East Wood and Franklin streets, right resting on South Water. Moving by 1st and 2d divisions south on South Main to Wood, east on Wood to South Water—all divisions then moving in order of column north on Water to North street, east on North street to Broadway, north on Broadway to Eldorado street, west on Eldorado street to camp at the fair grounds.

What They Mean.

A good deal of curiosity is expressed to know what is meant by "the 4 big A. A. A. A.," and this is the interpretation: "The Astral and Aigand stoves (hard-coal base burners) are sold by Ashby & Andress" Go and see them.

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To the Ladies.

Bear & Einstein wish to inform the ladies of Decatur and vicinity that they are now ready to show the handsomest stock of Millinery and Notions ever brought to Decatur. We have all the late styles of pattern hats and bonnets to select from in our house. As we have one of the best milliners in the state any order left with us will be filled to the satisfaction of the most fastidious patron. Full satisfaction guaranteed to any one who will favor us with a call. Come and examine our new stock and get prices before buying elsewhere. No trouble to show goods.

Sept 15-d&wtf BEAR & EINSTEIN.

New Cloaks.

Dolmans and Circulars received to-day at the Popular New York Store. Prices and styles very attractive. Call and inspect. d1t

Masonic.

A special meeting of Macon Chapter, No. 21, R. A. M., will be held this (Thursday) evening at 7:30 for work in the M. degree. By order

J. S. MCCLELLAN, H. P.

Saddle Rock Oysters.

New York Saddle Rock Oysters, in stews or raws, 35c a dozen, at Miller's New Oyster House, on the old square.

22-d3d

MACON COUNTY FAIR.

Second and Third Days of the Exposition—Premiums on Jersey Cattle and Blooded Horses Awarded.

"Stoner Boy" and "Billy Boy" Win the Races—An Inviting Programme for Friday.

WEDNESDAY—AFTERNOON.

At 11 a. m., while the Durham cattle were being shown to a lonesome amphitheatre, the threatened rain came down in a gentle shower and the indications were that the flood-gates of heaven would put an end to the fair for the week; but soon after noon, as predicted by President Miller, (who is a "bigger man than old Tice" as a reliable weather prophet, because, you know, he is several lone fishermen) the clouds scudded away and the sun shone forth in all his grandeur. But, nevertheless, the passing shower kept away many who doubtless would have been on the grounds had the weather been fair, and consequently the attendance during the afternoon was discouragingly thin, and those enterprising gentlemen who on Monday elbowed each other so industriously in order to get exclusive "privileges," joined in the grand chorus, "Where are the people! Oh, where are the people!"

JERSEYS—LOT 4.

The exhibition of fine bred cattle was resumed at 1 p. m., when the following premiums were awarded:

Best bull, 3 years old and over, 1st prem. $15, V. Barber, Decatur.
Best bull, 1 year old and under 2, 1st prem. $10, V. Barber; 2d prem. $5, to same.
Best bull calf, 1 year and over 6 months, three entries; 1st prem, $8, Mrs. J. H. Pickrell 2d prem. $3, V. Barber.
Best cow, 3 years old and over, 1st prem. $15, V. Barber; 2d prem. $10, to same
Best cow, 2 years old and under 3, 1st prem. $10, Mrs. J. H. Pickrell; 2 prem. $5, V. Barber.
Best cow, 1 year and over 6 months, 1st prem. $5, V. Barber.
Best calf under 6 months, 1st prem. $3, V. Barber; 2d prem. $2, to same.

CLASS B.—HORSES.

Superintendents, Samuel Weaver and R. T. Williams. Judges, Jerome Edwards, Willis Johnson and George G. Harnsbarger.
Best thoroughbred stallion, 4 years old and over, 1st prem. $15, J. G. Willard; 2d prem. $10, J. N. Hoyt.
Best mare, 4 years old and over, 1st prem. $15, J. G. Willard.
Best mare, 1 year old and under 2, 1st prem. $8, J. N. Hoyt.

ROADSTER STALLIONS.

Judges, Samuel Powers, Dr. H. C. Johns and G. G. Harnsbarger.
Best stallion, 4 years old and over, six entries; 1st prem. $15, Willis Johnson's "Red Fox;" 2d prem. D. W. Brenneman's "Geo. M. Patchen."

THE RACES.

Owing to the prolonged exhibition of thoroughbred and roadster horses in the ring, the races were necessarily delayed, and consequently the lady and gentlemen spectators, of whom there were perhaps 350, on the grand stand, not counting the "lords of creation" who held up the fences and sat in vehicles, grew weary waiting and clamored for the race to commence.

At 4 o'clock Superintendent Brenneman was enabled to announce that everything was in readiness. The judges and timers selected were John Hatfield, C. B. Cole, G. W. Stoner, W. A. Vanleer and Theron A. Powers. Dr. J. N. Bills was chosen starter, and he proved an immense success. Owing to the limited time the trotting and running races were sandwiched, as it were.

THE TROT,

which was one of no little interest, was the three minute class, for a purse of $150, mile heats, best three in five. There were four starters, D. W. Brenneman & Bro's "Stoner Boy;" J. W. Race's "Little Daisy," a handsome black mare; J. Will Baker's "Selim," and Wid Baker's "Denmark." "Little Daisy" took the first heat in 2:56½, and "Stoner Boy" won the next three heats and race, time 2:55, 2:57, 2:58½—taking first money, $75; "Little Daisy" second, $40; "Selim" third, $20; and "Denmark" fourth, $15.

THE RUNNING RACE

was short and sweet. The starters were J. P. Smallwood's "Billy Boy;" John Ehrhart's "Roscoe," and S. C. Streever's "Billet." The distance was a half mile and repeat, and "Billy Boy" won in two straight heats in 55½ and 56½ seconds, taking first money $50; "Billet" second, $25, and "Roscoe" third, $15.

The races over, there was a general scamper for the hacks, and the grounds were soon left in possession of the itinerant merchants and showmen and officers of the association.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 23.

The grounds this morning presented a lively and cheerful appearance, the weather being all that could have been desired Consequently the exhibitors and "merchants" wore smiling countenances, while the fair officials were cheerful and hopeful of a successful termination. Yesterday the attendance was discouragingly thin, but this morning the grounds began to fill up early with country and city folk, and during the forenoon there were perhaps 1,000 people in the amphitheatre and as many more roaming about and in the various halls.

PREMIUMS AWARDED.

The show of cattle was resumed in the speed ring at 10:20 a. m.

DURHAM HERDS, LOT 5.

Judges, T. M. Taylor, H. C. Allen and G. W. Stoner.
Best bull and five females, 1st prem. $20, Wing & Thompson, of Bement; 2d prem. $10, Pickrell, Thomas & Smith, Harristown.

JERSEY HERDS, LOT 6.

Best bull and five females, 1st prem. $20, V. Barber.

FAT CATTLE, LOT 8.

Best fat bullock of any age, 1st prem. $10, Wing & Thompson; weight, 1,700 pounds.

ROADSTERS.

Best stallion 2 years old and under 3, 1st prem. $5, J. G. Willard, Harristown; 2d prem. $3, S. R. Swain, Maroa.
Best roadster mare, 4 years old and over, 1st prem. $15, H. W. French, Harristown.

NOTES.

The exhibition of the Wood Twine Binder in full operation on yesterday and to-day, attracted the admiring attention of crowds of people. This display of enterprise was made under the management of V. H. Parke the agricultural implement dealer.

Geo. S. Durfee also had a self-binder operating by steam.

It was erroneously stated yesterday that John Irwin makes a display of elegant flowers and plants in floral hall. The exhibition is made by Mrs. V. Barber, and is one of the finest in that department.

To-morrow will be the big day of the fair, and those who visit the grounds will witness many objects of interest, besides beholding a "blood race" by rival hose companies and a dash of the hookies against their best time; also a 2:26 trot and an exciting running race.

John Carrigan has a monster booth at the south end of the amphitheatre, where lovers of the ruling beverage most do congregate

The hobby-horse-merry-go-rounder-mare was in his element to-day and gathered in the nickels lively.

Wayne Wilson drove the winning trotting horse, "Stoner Boy," yesterday, and Will Downing captured the blue ribbon with Johnson's "Red Fox" in the roadster ring.

FRIDAY'S PROGRAMME.

Trotting Race—2:23 class. Best 3 in 5. Five to enter and three to start. Purse, $500.

First horse,	$300 00
Second "	150 00
Third "	50 00

AT 3:30 P. M.

Running Race—One and a half mile dash. Five to enter and three to start Purse, $200.

First horse,	$100 00
Second "	60 00
Third "	30 00
Fourth "	20 00

FIRE DEPARTMENT DISPLAY.

A purse of $100 is offered for the fastest Hose company, the run to be governed by the Illinois State Tournament Association. Entrance fee, 10 per cent.

First Company,	$50 00
Second "	30 00
Third "	20 00

A purse of $50 is offered to the Hook and Ladder company, to run against time; 20 per cent. entrance fee and time 55 seconds.

PERSONAL POINTS.

Gen. and Mrs. Grant will be the guests of Gov. and Mrs. Oglesby during their stay in Decatur.

Miss Maggie Kearney, the fashionable new square dress-maker, has returned from a business trip east.

K. H. Roby, Esq., arrived home this morning from Monitor, Ind., where he had been on business.

Ald. W. H. Bramble departed for New York early this morning. He will be absent about two weeks on business, and will join Hugh Crea, Esq., in the Gotham of America on Saturday next.

Charley Boardman arrived in Decatur from the east this morning, with 35 Swedes and other emigrants, bound for Kansas over the Wabash and Hannibal & St. Joe Railways.

Dr. Goodwin is enjoying the luxury of a felon on his left thumb while engaged in the pleasant pastime of moving. Blessings never come singly The Doctor is to be commiserated.

Henry C. Allen, the Harristown stock dealer, who has been attending the fair this week, will leave for Kentucky this evening, and will be absent perhaps two weeks on a visit to his cousins, so "they say;" but the knowing ones say differently.

Ben. F. Dodson, jr., who has been traveling during the past season as assistant agent for the Great London Circus and Internatinnal 10 Allied Shows, arrived home last evening, and will be with us for a number of weeks. The London and Barnum shows have pooled their attractions and will leave for Europe on Washington's Birthday, 1881. Ben. will go to Europe with the consolidated shows, and may be absent several years. He has parted with his boyish ways, and is now a fair model of dignity.

Explanation.

I am often asked why it is I can sell goods and do work so cheap.

1st. I believe in quick sales and small profits, as the day has gone by when a merchant can do a small business and realize a large profit. Believing this, I have secured a large storeroom for small rent.

2d. I pay cash for my goods, which enables me to buy as cheap as larger dealers.

3d. I am a practical workman myself, which saves me money.

Taking these facts in consideration, you will see at once why it is that I can sell my goods cheap. I would be pleased to have you give me a trial and convince yourself and save money.

W. L. FERGUSON,
Cor. N. Water and Cerro Gordo st., near Shellabarger & Co.'s mill.
Sept. 23—d8tw2

A PRIZE PHAETON.

Wayne Bro.'s "Keystone Carriage Works"—An Elegant Specimen of Fine Workmanship.

Without doubt one of the most elegant and attractive entries of manufactured articles on exhibition at the fair grounds this week is a beautiful and substantial Phaeton, manufactured at the "Keystone Carriage Works," this city, and shown by the proprietors, Wayne Bros. Looked at from any point this Phaeton is a perfect model of beauty and symmetry. The workmanship is faultless, this being the verdict of all good judges who have examined it closely. It has an improved platform spring constructed in a superior manner, of the very best Norway iron, and all the iron work is fitted perfectly to the wood. The tires are of the best steel, and the wood work of the running gear is of seasoned second growth hickory. The bed is made of the best ash and poplar, and the trimming cannot be excelled. The phaeton is adorned with a patented leather top, for which the Wayne Bro.'s have the exclusive sale in Macon county. It is of the narrow tread style, is neat and trim, and well deserved the blue ribbon which was cheerfully attached to it to-day. This Phaeton will be shown by the Wayne Bro.'s next week at the state fair at Springfield, and will also be exhibited at the St. Louis fair. It challenges unfavorable criticism, and will give Decatur a good name abroad.

Provost & Son's Display.

Speaking of the fashionable weddings that are to blossom in Decatur during the fruitful month of October, reminds us of the fact that P. B. Provost & Son, the popular Water street furniture dealers, have a magnificent display of goods in their line on exhibition in Textile Hall at the fair grounds. The furniture, which is of the costliest make, is rather unique in design and attracts the attention of all visitors. It consists of a beautiful and richly furnished French bedroom suite, one elegant shiffonier, (a novel drawer stand), and one shiffonier and cabinet combined. The foregoing are but samples of the fine furniture constantly on sale by Provost & Son, where also all grades of goods may be found at the lowest living prices.

A Child of the State.

Manager Haines begs leave to assure the public that the Hoey and Hardie Combination is one of the finest entertainments he has had the pleasure of offering to lovers of the drama. The Philadelphia *Times* of April 27th, says:

"Mr. Geo. Hoey is to be accorded the praise of having put together a very effective emotional drama. The story is well told in five acts, that are almost overcrowded with sensational episodes and intensely dramatic situations. These are well linked together, and the interest is cumulative from the rising to the falling of the curtain."

New Dress Buttons.

New Dress Goods and all kinds of fashionable Dress Trimmings just received at the Popular New York Store, selling at our usual low cash prices. d1t

Attention, Firemen!

Companies are requested to meet at headquarters on Friday, Sept. 24th, at one o'clock, sharp, to attend the fair.

J. S. HEWES, Chief.
A. N. DIEHL, Sec. 2d

VISIT Miller's new lunch room on the old square. Sep223t

Grand Success.

Last evening the opera house was filled to overflowing with a delighted audience to witness the performance of the Forbes and Cotton Combination in the beautiful drama, "True Devotion," which created such an excitement here last season, never has a drama been presented in Decatur that gave greater satisfaction. Ben Cotton as "Bob, the Bootblack," was simply immense, and as he appeared last evening he was received with great applause. Little Idalene in her acting took the audience by storm. She is a wonderful little actress for one so young. The company are all good. Thursday evening the laughable drama of "Black Diamonds" will be presented. Mr. Cotton will appear as Banty Bob. Little Idalene will also appear as the Pet of the Household, embracing several new songs. She will also recite the beautiful poem entitled "Davie's Promise." In speaking of the merits of "Black Diamonds" the Danville *News says:*

For the first time this season, a matinee was given in this city on Saturday last, and over 900 people were in attendance. The Forbes dramatic company were not only well pleased, but the audience were also and so were our city merchants, as the streets were crowded from 2 to 6 o'clock.

At the presentation of "Black Diamonds" on Saturday night, the house was crowded, and before the performance began every seat in the parquette was sold and only "standing room" could be disposed of and that sold rapidly.

The above company will present their new verson of Uncle Tom's Cabin at the matinee Saturday afternoon. Little Idalene will appear as Eva, in which part she has no equal.

Dick Piper.

Splendid cabinet and panel frames from 15 cents to $1.00; elegant 8x10, a dozen, different patterns, at 50, 75 and $1.00; Photos, $1.00 per dozen; Cabinets, only $5.00, *the best*, (examine show case and be convinced); several new scenic back grounds, and more accessories, such as fancy stands, piano rocks, fences, etc, than any other gallery in the city. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Yours respectfully, R. H. PIPER,
Sept 23—dtf Opposite P. O. Block

AN OFFICIAL DOCUMENT.

COUNTY RECORDER'S OFFICE,
INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 15, 1878.

DR. A. R. WHITE—Dear Sir: After using various remedies for Chills, without relief, I commenced the use of your Dandelion Alterative, and one bottle effected a cure. I can cheerfully recommend this as an excellent medicine, and worthy the confidence of the public.

Yours truly,
WM. N. DUNNINGTON.

For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen.
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Strong Evidence.

I have sold at retail price since the 4th of December last 106 bottles of Dr. Thomas Eclectric Oil, guaranteeing every bottle. I must say I never sold a medicine in my life that gave such universal satisfaction. In my own case, with a badly ulcerated throat, after a physician pending it several days to no effect, the Eclectric Oil cured it thoroughly in twenty-four hours, and in threatened croups in my children last winter it never failed to relieve almost immediately. C. R. HALL.

GRAYVILLE, Ill., March 2, 1880.
For sale by Dr. A. J Stoner. Sep20d&w1w

FAT MEN
AND
TALL MEN,
Attention!

We have by some means or manner about 20 dozens *overgrown* knit, merino and all-wool drawers, too large for medium-sized men, and offer them low

21-d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

Opera House, Decatur.

FOUR NIGHTS OF FAIR WEEK, commencing

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 22.

Manager Forbes takes great pleasure in announcing the engagement of the popular comedian,

MR. BEN. COTTON,

And his Gifted and Talented Daughter,

LITTLE IDALENE COTTON,

Supported by the New and Powerful

FORBES DRAMATIC CO.

—OF—

15 FIRST-CLASS ACTORS 15

In the Comedy Drama entitled

"True Devotion!"

written and arranged expressly for Mr. Cotton and his daughter, Idalene.

The above Company will also appear in the highly artistic and Emotional Drama entitled

BLACK DIAMONDS!

OR, THE HEROINE OF HAZELTON.

ADMISSON, 50 cts.; Gallery, 35 cts.; Reserved Seats, 75 cts, for sale at O. E. Curtis & Co.'s.

Grand UNCLE TOM'S CABIN MATINEE
Saturday, at 2 O'clock.

Admission to Matinee, 25 cents., Children, 10 and 15 cents. Sep20d6d

CARPETS!

In Endless Variety at the

Exclusive Carpet and Wall Paper House of

ABEL & LOCKE,

DECATUR, ILL.

ABEL & LOCKE have given the carpet and house furnishing business exclusive attention for FOURTEEN YEARS, and are the only exclusive dealers in central Illinois. The benefit of their experience reaches their customers for many miles around in FINER STYLES, BETTER GOODS AT LOWER PRICES than can be obtained in central Illinois outside of their store. MR. QUINLAN, of their establishment, has just returned from the East, where he has been spending a month among Manufacturers and Importers, picking up all the novelties in

Carpets, Wall-Paper!

—AND—

CURTAINS.

Also, they are Agents for the

BEST CARPET CHAIN

in all colors manufactured in the United States. Go and see them and be convinced.

Sept. 22-d4d **ABEL & LOCKE.**

Linn & Scruggs

WILL OPEN!

—THEIR—

NEW STORE!

—ON—

THURSDAY MORNING,

The 9th of September,

COURT HOUSE BLOCK CORNER.

A Large Surplus Stock will be left in their OLD STORE, and will be

CLOSED OUT!

—AT—

VERY LOW PRICES.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

Sept 7, 1880—d&wtf

Fresh Oysters!

The public will find at our Market, in addition to a LARGE SUPPLY of

CHOICE MEATS,

"MALLORY'S"

Celebrated Baltimore Oysters!

Our facilities for handling the same are unexcelled, and our patrons can always rely upon getting the BEST AND FRESHEST OYSTER to be found in the city. GIVE US A CALL.

NO. 23 SOUTH MAIN-ST.,

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

IMBODEN BROS.

Sept. 2, 1880—d3mo

Otto E. Curtis & Co.,

Decatur's Leading Jewelers!

Have at all times the Largest Stock of

Diamonds, Watches, Clocks, Silverware

And SILVERWARE in the city.

We feel sure you can always suit yourself better at our store, because we can show you at all times a *larger* and *greater variety of goods* than any one else in Central Illinois, including always the LATEST PATTERNS, and can give you better prices than *smaller* dealers, as we buy *directly* of the manufacturers and as low as cash will buy. Everything warranted as represented. Be sure you learn our prices and examine our goods before you buy elsewhere.

OTTO E. CURTIS & CO.,
17 East Main St., Decatur, Ill.

We make a specialty of REPAIRING and ENGRAVING, and give particular attention to FITTING FINE SPECTACLES.

Sept. 22—d&wtf

WABASH ST. LOUIS & PACIFIC

The Great Through Car Route to Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa.

NO CHANGE OF CARS FROM TOLEDO or Ft. WAYNE to St. Louis, Kansas City, Hannibal, St. Joseph, Quincy and Atchison.

NO CHANGE OF CARS FROM ST. LOUIS to Kansas City, St. Joseph, Omaha and Ottumwa.

Remember that the

WABASH ST. LOUIS & PACIFIC

has *No Emigrant Cars.* *Everybody* rides in *Elegant Parlor Coaches*, nicely upholstered and carpeted. Baggage checked through to destination.

☞ Don't forget the above inducements, given only by this great line, and when you go

West, Southwest, North or Northwest,

Don't accept any ticket UNLESS IT READS OVER THE

WABASH, ST. LOUIS & PACIFIC R'Y.

Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

Main Line.

GOING WEST.

No. 1 Through Express............ 7:00 a. m
" 3 Fast Line............ 4:20 a. m
" 5 Fast Mail............ 2:45 p. m

GOING EAST.

No. 2 Lightning Express............ 10:30 p. m
" 4 Atlantic Express............ 11:40 a. m
" 6 Accommodation............ 7:00 p. m

☞ The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East............ 9:45 a. m
Going West............ 1:15 p. m

Chicago Division.

On and after Sunday, August 8th, 1880, trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Bement:

GOING EAST.

No. 41, Chicago Express............ 12:10 p. m.
Arrive in Chicago at............ 7:30 "

GOING WEST.

No. 46, St. Louis Express arrive at... 2:50 p. m.

St. Louis Division.

DEPART.

No. 41 Through Express............ 6:30 a. m
" 43 Fast Line............ 4:40 a. m
" 45 Fast Mail............ 3:10 p. m
Freight............ 7:30 a. m.

ARRIVE.

No. 42 Lightning Express............ 10:25 p. m
" 44 Atlantic Express............ 11:50 a. m
" 46 Accommodation............ 9:15 p. m

☞ For Routes, Rates, Elegant Maps of the Western Country, and any information you may desire in regard to going West, please address

J. C. GAULT, Gen. Manager, M. C. TOWNSEND, Gen. Pass. Agent, ST. LOUIS,
Or K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

FOR THE NORTH & NORTHWEST.

PEKIN, LINCOLN & DECATUR RAILROAD.

Take this Line for

Burlington, Council Bluffs,

Omaha, Galesburg, Davenport, Rock Island, LaSalle, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and all points North and Northwest. Connections made at Peoria in Union Depot, for all points in Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

For Through Tickets and further information, apply to

K. HARWOOD, Agent, Union Depot, Decatur, Ill.

TIME-TABLE.

DECATUR AND PEORIA SHORT LINE

Peoria & St Louis Express	Mail & Express	1879. Sept. 15.	St Louis Mail & Express	Eastern & South. Express
Leave.			Arrive.	
No. 3.	No. 1		No. 2.	No 4.
7.00 am	4.10 pm	Decatur.	3.30 pm	10.00 pm
8.17 "	5.08 "	Mt Pulaski	2.47 "	8.35 "
8.53 "	5.26 "	Lincoln	2.33 "	7.52 "
9.50 "	6.11 "	Delavan	1.41 "	6.50 "
10.35 "	6.65 "	Pekin	1.10 "	5.45 "
11.30 "	7.30 "	Peoria	12.30 "	5.00 "

Freight leaves at 1:30 p. m.

G. R. COBLEIGH, Gen'l Manager, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.
L. M. RUPERT, Chief Ticket Clerk, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.
November 1, 1878.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Monday, June 14th, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

GOING SOUTHEAST.

Indianapolis Passenger............ 8:08 a. m.
Mail and Express............ 4:20 p. m.
Local Freight............ 8:10 a. m.

GOING NORTHWEST.

Mail and Express............ 11:35 a. m.
Indianapolis Passenger, arrive............ 9 00 p. m
Local Freight, depart............ 7:50 a. m.

Passengers leaving Decatur at 8 o'clock a. m. arrive at Indianapolis at 3:45 p. m.

N. B. ADAMS, Agent.

Indianapolis, Decatur and Springfield RAILWAY COMPANY.

Take this for the Best and all points North and South on the Chicago & Paducah Railway, Illinois Central (Chicago Division), Paris and Danville Railway, T. H. & C. R'y, and I. C. & S. R'y. Close connections being made at all Junction Stations, and through tickets on sale at the ticket-office, Decatur, Ill.

CONDENSED TIME-CARD.

LEAVE DECATUR GOING EAST.

[illegible]............ 11 45 a. m
[illegible], daily............ 10 40 p. m
Freight and Accommodation............ 3 20 p. m

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White Heath	9 25	9 25	4 25	5 20
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Atwood	....	10 20	4 35	....
Cisco	....	10 30	4 10	....
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Oreana	....	11 15	3 50	....
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Ill. Cent. from South............ 7 00 a. m.
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" " Burlington (via Mendota), 10:30 a. m
I. B. & W............ 11:50 a. m.
Wabash from West............ 12:00 m.
St. Louis Division............ 12:00 m.
I. D. & S............ 12:00 m.
Midland from East............ 12:00 m.
Wabash " " .... 3:30 p. m.
D., M. & Sullivan............ 4:30 p. m.
Midland from West............ 5:00 p. m.
I. C. R. R. from North............ 6:30 p. m.

MAILS CLOSE.

D. M. & Sullivan............ 10:00 a. m.
Wabash East............ 11:15 a. m.
Midland West............ 11:15 a. m.
I., D. & S............ 12:45 p. m.
I., B. & W............ 2:30 p. m.
Wabash West............ 3:00 p. m.
St. Louis Division............ 3:00 p. m.
Chi. and Dubuque west of Foreston, 3:00 p. m.
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Midland East............ 3:50 p. m.
I. C. South............ 6:00 p. m.
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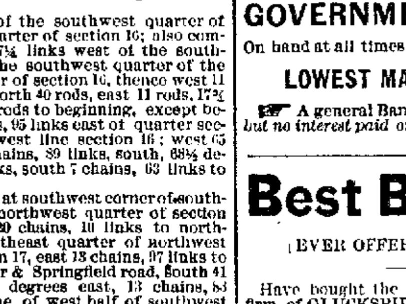
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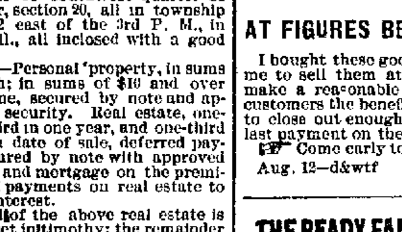
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A. T. HILL,
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Decatur, Ill., Aug. 31, 1880. Committee.
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Wednesday, the 1st day of September, A. D. 1880,

sell at public outcry, upon the premises below described, all the personal property belonging to said copartnership, consisting of three horses, two mules, 22 cows, 12 calves, 20 steers, 10 heifers, about 55 head of hogs, about 100 tons timothy hay, two farm wagons, one buggy, mower, feed mill, plows, harrows, harness, wood, posts, &c.; also the following described real estate:

The west half of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 16; also commencing 28 rods, 7¼ links west of the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 16, thence west 11 rods, 17¾ links, north 40 rods, east 11 rods, 17¾ links, south 40 rods to beginning, except beginning 12 chains, 95 links east of quarter section corner on west line section 16; west 65 links, north 7 chains, 39 links, south, 68¾ degrees east, 69 links, south 7 chains, 63 links to beginning.

Also, beginning at southwest corner of southeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 17, thence north 20 chains, 10 links to northwest corner southeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 17, east 13 chains, 97 links to center of Decatur & Springfield road, South 41 links, south, 75½ degrees east, 13 chains, 83 links to east line of west half of southwest quarter of northeast quarter, section 17, south 15 chains, 80 links to quarter section line, west 29 chains, 67 links to beginning; also all that part of southeast quarter of the northeast quarter, and of the east half of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 17, which lies south of the center line of the Decatur and Springfield road.

Also, the south half of the southeast quarter, and northwest quarter of southeast quarter; 15 acres east end north half northeast quarter of southwest quarter, section 17; also northwest quarter of northeast quarter, 15 acres west end north half of northeast quarter of northeast quarter; the east half of southwest quarter of northeast quarter, and east half of west half of southwest quarter of northeast quarter, section 20, all in township 16 north, range 2 east of the 3rd P. M., in Macon county, Ill., all inclosed with a good fence.

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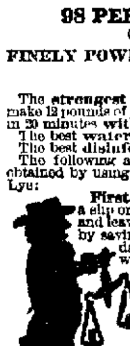
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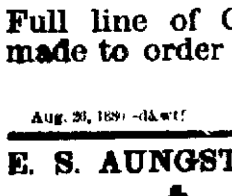
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